

Notice of Exemption

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To: Office of Planning and Research
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From: (Public Agency): City of Lancaster
PARCS Department
44933 Fern Ave, Lancaster, CA 93534

County Clerk

County of: Los Angeles

(Address)

Environmental Filings

12400 E. Imperial Hwy, Norwalk, CA 90650

Project Title: Samaritan's Purse Park LED RETROFIT

Project Applicant: City of Lancaster

Project Location - Specific:

44501 5th Street East, Lancaster, CA 93535

Project Location - City: Lancaster Project Location - County: Los Angeles

Description of Nature, Purpose and Beneficiaries of Project:

The project will replace existing ballfield lights with energy-efficient LED lighting. This retrofit will support increased evening programming and meet higher energy demand from the park's renovations, while improving visibility and safety for all users. This upgrade will allow Lancaster residents, youth and adult sports participants, and park visitors to enjoy reliable nighttime recreation with more efficient energy use and lower maintenance requirements.

Name of Public Agency Approving Project: City of Lancaster

Name of Person or Agency Carrying Out Project: City of Lancaster Contractor

Exempt Status: (check one):

- Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a));
- Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: Section 15301, Existing Facilities
- Statutory Exemptions. State code number: _____

Reasons why project is exempt:

The project consists of upgrading existing lighting infrastructure to support increased evening use, improve visibility, and enhance safety within an already developed park. The work does not involve expansion of the park's footprint or significant alteration of its current use, but rather the replacement and improvement of existing facilities. As such, the retrofit qualifies as a minor alteration to an existing public facility, with no potential for significant environmental impact.

Lead Agency

Contact Person: Alondra Hernandez Area Code/Telephone/Extension: 661-723-5828

If filed by applicant:

1. Attach certified document of exemption finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? Yes No

Signature: Alondra Hernandez Date: 04/30/2020 Title: Project Assistant

▪ Signed by Lead Agency Signed by Applicant

Authority cited: Sections 21083 and 21110, Public Resources Code.
 Reference: Sections 21108, 21152, and 21152.1, Public Resources Code.

Date Received for filing at OPR: _____